We affirm it to be paquestioned that there

in the platform of the American Bimetallic

party, promulgated at Washington, D. C., Jan.

22, 1896, and herein reiterated, which is not

only the paramount but the only real issue in

principles, we recommend that this Convention

POLITICAL NOTES.

As usual, Mrs. Lease made her decision with

a fine womanly scorn for nice distinctions. All

that favored the indorsement of Bryan were

honest, and all those who opposed were corrupt

The Populists are quite as fluent in names

The Butte Inter-Mountain Republican, owned

Secretary Hoke Smith's paper, the Atlanta

Journal, came out for Bryan last week, and now

the Secretary announces that he will support

fight to do it. He feels certain of the Dakotas

Gen. John B. Castleman, of Louisville, for

years the Chairman of the Democratic Com-

mittee of Kentucky, will not support Bryan.

He says "Country is more important than

erans refuse to approve the Chicago platform

or the Chicago nominee. They are Govern-

Comptroller Eckels says that bolting Bryan

he intended to bolt the Democratic party if it

favors a third ticket with Senator Palmer, of

vote. The normal majority in Maine is 12,000,

The Republicans of West Virginia held an

and said that he was a large producer of silver,

and favorable to the greatest use of the metal

eral, and Henry C. Russell for Commissioner of

The veteran Democrat William S. Holman

after seven ballots described as "spirited."

Judge Holman began his official career in the

years later was elected Prosecuting Attorney

of Dearborn County; later was a memiter of

the Indiana Legislature, and from 1852 to 1857

a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in Indi-

ana. He was first elected to the 36th Congress

in 1858, and has been almost uniformly success-

ful in his district, despite partisan apportion-

ments, ever since, having been but twice de-

feated-in 1864 and again in 1894, under the

adverse tidal wave which overpowered all the

supporters, in doubtful districts, of the Cleve-

land Administration. The plurality against

Judge Holman in that contest was 434. The

Prohibitionists polled 554 votes and the Popu-

lists 703 votes in the same district. This year

the prospects of Mr. Holman's election are

thought to be excellent by all Democratic ob-

10 per cent, of which was cast in the city of

representative, would have turned the scale in

Governor. Three Governors of States have

died during the present year, and one, the Gov-

ernor of Minnesota, has been elected a United

States Senator. There are our Territories hav-

ing Governors, and these four Governors are.

Henry George says that the old Democracy

died at Chicago, and an entirely new party was

The campaign is so hot already in South

Senator and the Governor of the State came to

blows on the stand during a political debate,

and the Governor blacked the other fellow's

The National Committee of the Sound Money

and decided to call a Convention not later than

senting their views. It was undecided whether

the Convention should be held at Indianapolis,

The Gold Democrats of Illinois have per-

sonal hatred of Gov. Altgeld to nerve their

arms. He has ridden over them rough-shod at

Edwin B. Winslow, Democratic candidate for

It is pointed out that during the discussion of

the Wilson Bill, Watson took occasion to lam-

poon Bryan unmercifully. Among other things

"On the other hand, we have our handsome

and brilliant friend from Nebraska (Bryan).

who was put forward as the 'darling' of the

Democratic side of the House, the prettiest man

in all the bunch, and his entire speech, which

ranged from Tom Moore's poetry to Joe Mil-

ler's jest book, was the sum and substance of

the old Democratic position on the tariff that

we will practice what is wrong, while we know

Senator Hill is in the worst trouble of his

lively political career. He had fixed up a slate

with Perry Belmont, of New York and Suffolk

they say that Stanchfield cannot be nominated.

from rotten boroughs with no Populist con-

will resent at the polls the butchery of their

Counties, for Governor; Assemblyman John B.

Governor of Maine, has withdrawn, because of

at 2 to put in nomination a ticket repre-

all of them, Democrats.

Minneapolis, or Chicago.

every opportunity.

the Chicago platform.

he said :

what is right."

but it is hoped to double or treble that.

its worst enemies.

Public Lands and Buildings.

ment-supporting, law-abiding citizens.

nominated a Sound Money candidate.

party." Three-fourths of the Confederate vet-

for one another as for the rest of mankind.

They call "Gen." Coxey "Jackass Coxey."

lutely without hope for the future.

for the common necessities of life.

Vice-President.

and had been bought up.

the Chicago nominee.

Mrs. Diggs opposing.

and hopeful of Kansas.

Convention was not Democratic.

POPULISTS FOR BRYAN

Watson, of Georgia, Chosen for Vice-President.

CONVENTION OF DISORDER.

Middle-of-the-Road Men Were Defeated and Many Scuffles Took Place-Bryan Refused to Run Unless Sewall Was Named With Him, but He Was Nominated Anyhow-A Letter That Was Not Read,

William J. Bryan and Thomas E. Watson were nominated for President and Vice-Presiat St. Louis.

The Convention met on July 22. the farm, the mine, the workshop and the fac- ears. tory. They discarded conventionalities. Ful-

dress. Ignatius Donnelly responded. the People's party.

is need for us to be here." He referred to the success of our cause." tried to steal into our party."

This statement set the Convention wild. ger your cause. This Convention has not been not be stampeded. Our duty is to approve what is right and condemn what is wrong."

When 8 o'clock, the hour for the Convention to convene, arrived the hall was in total darkness. The delegates were huddled in the seats of faces swayed in the light of the few candles that flickered on the press tables.

About this time some shrewd middle-of-theroader thought be discovered that the refusal to turn on the lights was part of a scheme of the Bryan people to prevent the straightout element from controling. This suspicion that the lights were out in the interest of a faction, as they were turned out at the Cincinnati Convention in 1876 by the opponents of Mr. Blaine, sroused a storm of protests, and the middle-of-the-roaders were charging about in the dark to discover the cause of the unprecedented situation. "It's a scheme of the Bryan men," the Texas

delegation shouted. Some one mounted the stage and yelled: "The Bryan people have put out the lights, but if they nominate Byran we'll split this Convention wide open."

'You're a disgrace to the party," came emphatically from the black, cavernous depths of the hall. By this time the aisles were choked with delegates, pushing and groping their way about in the dark.

Chairman Butler appeared on the stage. Then He announced that the Committee on Credentials would not be able to report, and that as, wires, there was no light, he would declare the Convention in recess until 10 o'clock Thursday On the second day the Convention, after

frittering away several hours, got down to business late in the afternoon. The antivictory in the election of United States Senator William V. Allen, of Nebraska, as Permanent Chairman. Senator Allen made a speech advocating the nomination of Bryan, saying it was a choice between Bryan or McKinley. At the conclusion of Senator Allen's speech the Convention adjourned until the next day. There were several scuffles between Bryan and middie-of-the-road men.

The Convention became practically a mob on the third day, when the anti-Sewallites got control, and it continued to be little more than a meb during the evening and up to midnight, when nominations were being made and the ballot was being taken for Vice-President.

The nominating speeches lasted until almost exactly midnight, when the roll-call began, The roll-call showed Tom Watson, of Georgia, to be the favorite. The first ballot was completed half an hour after midnight. A stampede to Watson followed, and he was nominated. The confusion of the day and evening was the result of the strategetic move of the middle-ofthe-road Populists in overturning the report of the Committee on Rules.

The report called for the nomination of Presidential candidate first. The Southerners, or middle-of-the-road men, were determined not to accept Sewall for Vice-President on a ticket with Bryan to whom, apparently, they had become resigned as a Presidential nominee. The Bryan men finally promised a Southern

nomince for Vice-President. The middle-of-the-road men accepted, then Seared treachery, and the State of North Carolina changing its vote, overturned the majority report of the Committee on Rules. This made it necessary to nominate a candidate for Vice-President first, and it was to this tesk that the Convention gave itself during

the evening and far into the night.

This is the ballot:

STATE.	Skinner.	Watson.	Sewall.	Burkett	Minms.	Page.
Alabama	20	20	13			
Arkansus.	****	25			*****	
California	6	26	2	3	2	
Colorado			45			
Connecticut	****	4	****		*****	
Delaware		8			*****	
Fiorida	****	8				
Georgia		61	****		*****	
Idaho	****	118	2		2	****
Phois	. 2	201	. 0	2	10	****
Indiana	2010	30	***		*****	
lowa	*****	14	14	1	1	
Kansas	****	6		7	13	****
Louisiana	4 10 10 10	294	92		1.0	****
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Maryland	LUQU	44				
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Minnesota	2	44	100		1	
Mississippi				18	****	
Missouri	1	31		6		1000
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Nebraska	. 3	14	37		3	
Nevada	7					200
New Hampshire		4				
New Jersey		11			*****	***
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North Carolina	93	122		****	*****	***
North Dakota,		0.2	****	****	*****	***
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South Dakota	-	1				
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Utah		· 9				
Virginia						
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New Mexico		10	****			
Oklahoma Indian Territory		. 6	***			
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nominated on the fourth day, in the face of needs should, by lawful means, be reclaimed abandon the farm and throw a multitude of directing the withdrawal of his name, sent to Senator Jones—sent after Sewall, his running alien ownership, should be prohibited. directing the withdrawal of his name, sent to mate, had been ditched for the Vice-Presidential nomination, and Thomas E. Watson, of saying he would not run if Sewall were not

held a "rump" Convention. The last session of the Convention, which lasted from 9:30 o'clock in the morning until almost 5 o'clock in the afternoon, was marked by scenes of turbulence and noisy excitement, which several times bordered on actual riot, and which almost precipitated personal collisions. One fist-fight did occur; a Rhode Island delegate was ejected, and a West Virginia delegate, inflamed by the action of the Convention, walked sullenly out of the hall. The stormcenter, as on the three previous days, was in dent, respectively, by the Populist Convention | the Texas delegation; but the really dramatic features of this wild session were enacted behind the scenes. Rumors of what was going The floor, where the Delegates were gathered, on in the wings reached the delegates, but was in some respects crowded with as unique they knew nothing definitely, and to the very an assemblage as was ever massed under one end a message from Mr. Bryan, which might roof. A glance showed that they came from bave changed the result, was kept from their

It was stated on good authority that Bryan ly half of them sat in their shirt-sleeves, with said in his letter that, considering all the cirtheir coass slung over the backs of their chairs. comstances and conditions, he concluded that H. E. Taubeneck called the meeting to order. the Populist Convention should not consider Gov. Stone, of Missouri, made the welcome ad- his name for the Presidency; but if it determined to nominate him notwithstanding His appearance roused the "middle-of-the- this declaration, "that there may be no misread" element to a burst of enthusiasm. The understanding, I desire in advance to say that movement which this Convention represented, I shall not during the campaign discuss any he said, was a growth of the farm. It had been other issues than those outlined in the Chicago conceived in the distress that prevailed among platform. I desire above everything else to be the producers of the country. The people had instrumental in having enacted into the laws | and ruling that by injunction, should be prefelt the effects of mis-government. If there of the United States the free and unlimited was any movement on the face of the earth | coinage of gold and silver at the present ratio called up by the veritable hand of God it was of 16 to 1, without awaiting the consent of any other country. The Populist platform presents Senator Butler was received with great ap- several new issues, to discuss which during this plause. "We are here," said he, "because there | campaign will, in my judgment, endanger the

fact that two National parties had already held | Gen. Weaver, of Iowa, the Populist candidate their Conventions. These two parties had had in 1892, placed Bryan in nomination, and Gen. charge of the Government for 35 years. The Field, of Virginia, who was his running mate, people had during this time done their duty in after a brief speech, moved to make the nomithe matter of creation of wealth. They had nation unanimous. Chairman Allen held the caused the country so far as they could to blos- motion was in order, and until that motion was som as the rose. But these parties had been | decided the call of States for nominations, unfaithful to their trust, and had brought the which was the order of the Convention, could Hence the need for the People's party. The and there would probably have been serious paign, upon which the present Presidential elec-Democratic party, at Chicago, was driven to trouble had not the Bryan leaders wisely conthe alternative of siding with gold or the peo- cluded to abandon this, so regarded, highple. "They were so frightened that in their handed program. But in doing so they opened parties we cordially invite the aid and co-operpetty larceny. They stole our platform and tion was deluged with oratory. Almost every with us upon this vital question. State and Territory had its inning on the plat-

The interruptions became so frequent that | When the rollicall was completed it was ingly to secure quiet, said that whom the gods wish to destroy they first make med. "Freeze wish to destroy they first make med. "Freeze wish to destroy they first make mad. "Every Chicago, was the only other candidate. Ignatime you interrupt me," he said, "you endan- tius Donnelly, of Minnesota, and Gen. Coxey, of Industrial Army fame, were nominated, but crushed by either of the old parties and will their names were withdrawn. Norton received 321 votes, Eugene V. Debs 10, and Donnelly 1. Norton got the Majority of the solid vote of Island and Wisconsin, and a respectable portion of the votes of Alabama, California, Kentucky, in front of the platform, while ghastly groups | Illinois and Ohio. The Convention was hastily adjourned after Bryan had been declared the nominee.

> The following is the full text of the platform as finally adopted by the Populist Convention: The People's Party, assembled in National

Convention, reaffirms its allegiance to the principles declared by the founders of the Republic, and also to the fundamental principles | Pennsylvania, for Secretary. The report was | antagonistic to the Popocrat utterance at Chiof just government as enunciated in the plat- adopted. Mr. St. John made a speech. form of the party in 1892. We recognize that through the connivance of

as predicted in our declaration four years ago, and that prompt and patriotic action is the financial and industrial independence is yet to | made. be attained by restoring to our country the constitutional control and exercise of the functions necessary to a people's government, which functions have been basely surrendered by our Senator Butler called the Convention to order. influence of European money changers has been nation by acclamation followed. more potent in shaping legislation than the voice of the American people. Executive owing to a storm which blew down the electric | power and patronage have been used to corrupt our legislatures and defeat the will of the people, and plutocracy has been enthroned upon the ruins of Democracy. To restore the Government intended by the fathers and for the welfare and prosperity of this and future generations, we demand the establishment of an Bryan men had their way in the decision economic and financial system which shall of contested seats, but the Bryan men won a make us masters of our own affairs and indemake us masters of our own affairs and independent of European control by the adoption of the following declaration of principles:

We demand a National money, safe and without the intervention of banks of issue, to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and of distribution direct to the people and through We demand the free and unrestricted coinage | centers. of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of

foreign nations, medium be speedily increased to an amount sufficient to meet the demands of the business population of this country and to restore the just level of prices of labor and production. We denounce the sale of bonds and the increase of the public interest-bearing bond debt made by the present Administration as unneces-

sary and without authority of law, and that no more bonds be issued except by specific act of level, to enable us to sell in foreign markets,

We demand such legal legislation as will prevent the demonetization of the lawful money | can labor and striking at the foundations of our of the United States by private contract.

We demand that the Government, in payment of its obligations, shall use its option as to the kind of lawful money in which they are to overproduction-that we have produced so be paid, and we denounce the present and preceding Administrations for surrendering this option to the holders of Government obliga-

We demand a graduated income tax, to the end that aggregated wealth shall bear its just proportion of taxation, and we denounce the decision of the Supreme Court, relative to the income-tax law, as a misinterpretation of the Constitution and an invasion of the rightful powers of Congress over the subject of taxation. We demand that postal savings banks be established by the Government for the safe deposit of the savings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the Government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people and on non-partisan basis, to the end that all may be accorded the same treatment in transportation, and that the tyranny and political power now exercised by the great railroad corporations which result in the impairment if not the destruction of the political rights and personal liberties of the citizen, may be destroyed. Such ownership is to be accomplished gradually in a manner consistent with sound

public policy. The interest of the United States in the public highways built with public moneys and the proceeds of extensive grants of land to the Pacific Railroads should never be alienated, mortgaged or sold, but guarded and protected for the general welfare, as provided by the laws organizing such railroads. The foreclosure of existing liens of the United States on these roads should at once follow default in the payment thereof of the debt of companies, and at the foreclosure sales of said roads the Government shall purchase the same if it becomes necessary to protect its interests therein or if they can be purchased at a reasonable price; and the Government shall operate said railroads as public highways for the benefit of the whole, and not in the interest of the few, under suitable provisions for protection of life and property, giving to all transportation interests and privileges and equal rates for fares and freight. We denounce the present infamous schemes for refunding these debts and demand that the laws now applicable thereto be executed and

The telegraph, like the Postoffice system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the Govern-

administered according to their true intent and

ment in the interest of the people.

The true policy demands that the National and State legislation shall be such as will ultimately enable every prudent and industrious citizen to secure a home, and therefore the land should not be monopolized for speculative purposes. All lands now held by railroads and

The Democratic candidate for President was other corporations in excess of their actual that the true remedy is to close the factory, his own protest, in the shape of a telegram by the Government and held for actual settlers

We condemn the francis by which the land grant to the Pacific Railroad companies have, Georgia, had been named for second place on through the connivance of the Interior Departthe ticket. Bryan had already sent a message ment, robbed multitudes of equal bona-fide settlers of their bomes and miners of their nominated with him. It was also made in the claims, and we demand legislation by Congress teeth of an opposition so bitter that after the which will enforce the exemption of mineral Convention adjourned some of the radicals land from such grants after as well as before

We demand that bona-fide settlers on all public lands be granted free homes, as provided in the National homestead law, and that no exception be made in the case of Indian reservations when opened for settlement, and that all lands not now patented come under this

We favor a system of direct legislation through the initiative and referendum under proper constitutional safeguards. We demand the election of President, Vice-President and United States Senators by a

direct vote of the people. We tender to the patriotic people of Cuba our deepest sympathy in their heroic struggle for political freedom and independence, and we believe the time has come when the United States, the great Republic of the world, should recognize that Cuba is, and of right ought to be, a

free and independent State. We favor home rule in the Territories and the District of Columbia, and the early admission of the Territories as States.

All public salaries should be made to correspond to the price of labor and its products. In times of great industrial depression, idle labor should be employed on public works as far as practicable.

The arbitrary course of the Courts in assuming to imprison citizens for indirect contempt, vented by proper legislation. We favor just pensions for our disabled Union

Believing that the elective franchise and untrammeled ballot are essential to a Government of, for, and by the people, the People's Party condemn the wholesale system of disfranchisement adopted in some States as unrepublican and undemocratic, and we declare it to be the duty of the several State Legislatures to take such action as will secure a full, free, and fair ballot, and an honest count.

While the foregoing propositions constitute the platform upon which our party stands, and for the vindication of which its organizacountry to the verge of bankruptcy. The lead- not proceed. The ruling almost precipitated a tion will be maintained, we recognize that the ers of both had been unfaithful to their trust. riot. Some cheered, some cursed, some fought, great and pressing issue of the pending camtion will turn, is the financial question; and upon this great and specific issue between the desperation they finally committed grand and the floodgates, and for six hours the Conven- ation of all organizations and citizens agreeing

SILVER MEN MEET.

The Silver Convention met at St. Louis July 23 by call of J. L. Mott, Chairman of the National Committee. Congressman Francis G. Newlands, of Nevada, was introduced by Mr. Mott as Temporary Chairman. He proceeded Texas, Michigan, New York, Missouri, Rhode | to make his address. The galleries were almost vacant, but the delegates gave him a cordial

> M. Newlands made a lengthy argument in favor of the free coinage of silver, and culogized Mr. Bryan, the Democratic nominee for the Presidency.

> The Committee on Permanent Organization recommended that W. P. St. Jehn, of New York, be selected for permanent Chairman: Charles A. Towne, of Minnesota, be chosen for Vice-Chairman, and R. E. Dufendorfer, of

On the second day Mr. Stewart made a speech. Mr. Stewart said Bryan was not a Democrat in the present and preceding Administrations the | good standing. He had said for two years that country has reached a crisis in its National life | if the party nominated a candidate on a gold platform he would not support the candidate. If there could have been manipulation of the supreme duty of the hour. We realize that | Convention, said Mr. Stewart, he would not while we have political independence our have been nominated. Other speeches were

Next day the Committee on Resolutions reported the platform and the recommendation that Bryan and Sewall be nominated. Several speeches were made in favor of Bryan, and he public servants to corporate monopolies. The was unanimously nominated. Sewali's nomi-

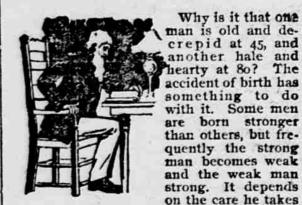
The platform as adopted by the Silverites was: The demonetization of silver in 1873 enormously increased the demand for gold, enhancing its purchasing power and lowering all prices measured by that standard; and since that unjust and indefensible act the prices of American products have fallen upon an average nearly 50 per cent., carrying down with them proportionately the money value of all other forms of Such fall of prices has destroyed the profits

of legitimate industry, injuring the producer for the benefit of the non-producer, increasing the burden of the debtor, swelling the gains of sound, issued by the General Government only, the creditor, paralyzing the productive energies of the American people, relegating to idleness vast numbers of willing workers, sending the private, as a just, equitable and efficient means | shadows of despair into the home of the honest toiler, filling the land with tramps and paupers, the lawful disbursements of the Government. and building up colossal fortunes at the money

In the effort to maintain the gold standard 16 to 1 without waiting for the consent of the country has, within the last two years, in a time of profound peace and plenty, been loaded | Populist vote large enough to be the balance of We demand that the volume of circulating down with \$262,000,000 of additional interestbearing debt, under such circumstances as to allow a syndicate of native and foreign bank- | the whole 150 in which the State is divided in ers to realize a new profit of millions on a single | which the Populist vote, if cast for the minority

It stands confessed that the gold standard can only be upheld by so depleting our paper currency as to force the prices of our products below the European, and even below the Asiatic thus aggravating the very evils of which our people so bitterly complain, degrading Americivilization itself.

The advocates of the gold standard persistently claim that the cause of our distress is much that it has made us poor-which implies



Why is it that one man is old and decrepid at 45, and another hale and hearty at 80? The accident of birth has something to do with it. Some men are born stronger than others, but freman becomes weak and the weak man strong. It depends

engine hears an unusual sound about it, he stops immediately and looks it up. If he finds a little looseness, or a little crack, it is remedied immediately. If it isn't, there will come a break presently—a break that will wreck the engine. Likely as not, this same man will totally ignore the call for help from some one of his own organs. He will let the trouble grow and grow until it lays him out in bed. If he keeps on working with a damaged body, he will soon wear it out. The strain on his nerves will tell on his constitution. He will not be hearty when he is old. The chances are he never will be old at all. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery restores health. It is not only a cure for disease, it is a preventive. Whenever a man feels that he is not quite as well as he ought to be, whenever he is listless, without energy and without vitality, whenever he finds that he is losing weight and that his ordinary work gives him undue fatigue, he needs the "Golden Medical Discovery." No matter how his trouble shows itself, this wonderful remedy will cure him. We say it is wonderful because of its wonderful results, and not because there is anything supernatural about it-not because it does anything that is unexpected, or anything which its discoverer did not mean it to do. That it cures many different so-called diseases is the most natural thing in the world when you understand that nearly all diseases spring from the same thing-bad digestion and consequent impure blood. The "Discovery" makes the appetite good, the digestion strong, assimilation easy, and the blood rich and pure. No disease of the blood can withstand its action.

of himself. When the man who runs an

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people out of employment—a doctrine that leaves us unnerved and disheartened and abso-The Mexican Government has refused to can be no such economic paradox as overproaccept the resignation of Minister to the United States Romero, as he is regarded as possessing duction, and at the same time tens of thousands the good will of this Government and its peoof our fellow-citizens remaining half clothed ple, and is too good a diplomat to be lost to and half fed, and who are piteously clamoring Mexico at this time. His resignation was ten-Inasmuch as the patriotic majority of the dered on account of articles published in the Chicago Convention embodied in the financial City of Mexico reflecting upon him. plank of its platform the principles enunciated

United States Circuit Judge Sanborn has decided that the Iowa anti-cigaret law is unconstitutional, and ordered the release of D. C. McGregor, of Cedar Rapids. The law was passed by the Iowa Legislature last Winter, the pending campaign, therefore recognizing that their nominees embody these patriotic and went into effect on July 4, 1896, and prohibited absolutely the manufacture or sale of nominate William J. Bryan, of Nebraska, for President, and Arthur Sewall, of Maine, for cigarets in the State, or their importation into the State. McGregor was arrested for importing cigarets and selling them in the original packages, and an application for a writ of babeas corpus was made to Judge Sanborn.

Gov. Mitchell, of Florida, has appealed to the Navy Department for help in protecting his State against the introduction of smallpox from Cuba. Secretary Herbert has accordingly telegraphed instructions to Capt. Crowninshield, of the Maine, now at Key West, to aid The Butte Gazette, the leading Democratic the local health authorities in the work of paper in northwestern Nebraska, has come out | boarding steamers and passing upon bills of squarely for McKinley because the Chicago | health.

Over 12,000 coat tailors in New York went out on a strike last week to enforce higher prices and prevent a renewal of the task and piece-work system. A committee of 15 of the Brotherhood of Tailors, in accordance with early instructions, stole a march on the manuby Senator Lee Mantle, has come out for facturers by visiting all the contractors' shops Bryan. So has the Madisonina, of Virginia -630 in number in New York City and 250 in City, Mont., the oldest Republican paper in the Brooklyn and Brownsville-and notifying the workers to quit forthwith.

July 22 marked the 100th anniversary of the founding of Cleveland, O., and during the celebration it was announced that John D. Rockefeller had donated to the city a tract of land Mrs. Diggs and Mrs. Lease, who are rivals for use as a city park. The value of the gift is for the leadership of the Populist women in Kansas, are fighting bitterly over the nomina- over \$700,000.

tion of Lewelling, Mrs. Lease favoring and Princess Maud, third daughter of the Prince and Princess of Wales, was married Wednesday, Congressman Mercer, Secretary of the Re-July 22, to Prince Charles, second son of Crown publican Congressional Committee, has re- Prince Frederick of Denmark. The ceremony turned from a visit to his home in Nebraska, took place in the private chapel of Buckingand is confident that McKinley will carry the ham Palace. State, but says that it will take a very lively

A heavy storm visited Pittsburg, Pa., Monday night, causing the loss of at least three lives and doing immense damage to property. Fierce lightning and heavy winds accompanied the storm. At Allegheny, Pa., 12 people were struck by lightning, and their condition is se-

Joseph Wesley Harper, who up to last year was the senior member of the firm of Harper Bros., publishers, died in New York City, July 21, aged 66 years.

is not desertion. Bryan openly proclaimed that Ten people lost their lives during a flood at Benson Valley, Ky., last week. Crops were ruined, and many bridges were washed away.

Illinois, and Gordon, of Georgia, as the nomi-Capt. Nash, his wife Laura, and Second Officer Brambery, of the barkentine Herbert Ful-ler, which left Beston, July 3, for Rosario, Joseph H. Manley says that it will be a not were murdered while at sea off Halifax, N. S. fight in Maine, but the principal question will Second Mate Thomas Bram and the man in be the size of the majority. The canvas will charge of the wheel at the time of the murder be the most thorough one since 1882, and the have been placed under arrest as suspects. Republicans will bring out every Sound Money

It is reported in Havana that in a recent engagement in Managua, Province of Mantanzas, the garrison of 50 Spanish soldiers were wiped out by a band of Cubans, numbering nearly enthusiastic convention at Parkersburg, July 600. Sixteen of the Spanish were killed, 18 22, and nominated G. W. Atkinson for Governor by acclamation. A platform strongly wounded and 14 were missing, supposed to have been taken prisoners. A quantity of cago was adopted. Senator Elkins presided, arms were captured by the insurgents.

A cloudburst in Bear Creek, just above Morrison, Colo., last Friday resulted in the death as money, but the Free Silver advocates were of from 15 to 20 people, and did great damage to property. Searching parties are still look-The Republican ticket of Nebraska has three ing for the bodies. veterans on it-Orlando Tafft for Lientenant-Governor, A. A. Churchill for Attorney-Gen-

Gen. Weyler has refused to modify his decree regarding the export of bananas from Cuba, as requested by the United States. The Field Columbian Museum, of Chicago, is

to receive a \$2,000,000 endowment from its has been honored by his 17th Congressional founder, Marshall Field. nomination in the Fourth District of Indiana, The Freedman's Journal says that the Pope has given Cardinal Satolli his choice of remain-

ing in America or returning to Rome. Satolli Indiana Court of Probate in 1843, and four will remain. The trial at bar of the Jameson raiders still attracts attention in London. The defendants are Dr. L. S. Jameson, Col. R. Gery, Maj. Sir John Wiloughby, Col. H. F. White, Maj. R. White, and Henry Coventry. All are charged with the violation of the foreign enlistment

act in the matter of the invasion of the Trans-The entire line of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., with all bonds, stocks, leases, and branch lines, was placed on sale last week by direction of Judge Jinkins, of the United States Federal Court. Only one bid was offered, and that by Edwin W. Winter, on behalf of the Northern Pacific Co., as recognized, and the road was declared sold to him. The amount of the bid was the least that could be offered.

Information received from Stanley, F. I. The vote of the Populist party in New York State at last year's election was only 6,900, just under date of June 9, proves conclusively that the ship which foundered off that locality May New York. In no County of the State was the 14 last was the Philadelphia clipper, City of Philadelphia, and that Capt. Johnson, his wife power between Democrats and Republicans, and and family, one passenger, and a crew numthere was, in fact, no Assembly District among bering in all 25 men, perished.

Veterans' McKinley Club. The old veterans of York, Neb., have organ ized a York County Veterans' McKinley Club, 125 strong, and elected the following officers: There are 45 States, and 26 of them have at present Republican Governors. Seventeen have | Pres., J. P. Miller; V. P., A. C. Montgomery; Sec., J. B. Day. The following preamble was Democratic Governors, one State (Nevada) has a Silverite Governor, and one has a Populist

"We, the Union veterans of the late war of the rebellion, who are favorable to the principles of the National Republican platform, believing that in the ultimate and successful triumph of the Republican party rests the hope of our Nation, the building up of our American industries, the giving of employment to the 2,000,000 laborers now unemployed who are suffering in poverty and in want, the maintaining of our money system and the making and maintaining of laws favorable to just and Carolina that a candidate for United States | liberal pensions to worthy veterans of the late war, their widows and orphans, the restoring of confidence and prosperity out of a condition of chaos and distrust; therefore, in order that we may the better and more effectually exert our influence in securing the election of Maj. Wm. McKinley as President of these United Democrats held a meeting at Chicago last week, States, and along with him the entire Republican ticket, we hereby band ourselves together as the York County Veterans' Mckinley Club

Daughters of Veterans. HEADQUARTERS NATIONAL PRESIDENT, WORCESTER, MASS., July, 1896.

General Order 7 should read, "Convention Sept. 2 and 3; not Sept. 3 and 4. The Committee on Amusements at St. Paul, Minn., are making arrangements to give our Order an outing, at Great Bear Lake, one afternoon and evening during our stay in that city. Sisters who will attend are requested to send name to National Secretary as soon as possible, as they are anxious to know how many

Arrangements are being made to hold our reception Wednesday evening from 9 to 10:30 p. m., at Hotel Ryan. ELLEN M. WALKER, National President.

M. ELIZABETH KIMBALL, National Secre-Campaign Literature.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN CONGRESS'L COMMITTEE, HOTEL NORMANDIE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, 1896.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: You could Stanchfield, of Chemung County, for Lieutenant-Governor, and Supreme Court Judge D. Cady Herrick, of Albany, for Judge of the announce in your columns for the informa-Court of Appeals. The Chicago Convention | tion of those correspondents who ask you to knocked this endwise. All the men but send them campaign documents that the Stanchfield are uncompromising Goldbugs, and | Congressional and State Central Committees of their States are supplied with large quan-Paul Van der Voort is supremely disgusted. | tities of documents for distribution to those He says that a galvanized Democrat presided | who apply.

at St. Louis, and that the delegates, who came The work has been so divided as to place in the hands of the different State and Constituents, in a mass represented an organized gressional organizations the distribution of appetite for spoils. He says that the Convencampaign literature, as they have better fation was an outrageous betrayal of the noblest cilities for knowing where these documents movement which ever existed in this country, will do the most good. and he thinks the rank and file of the party

Yours truly, J. W. BABCOCK, Chairman.

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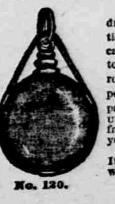
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